

COMBINED DECLARATION AND POWER OF ATTORNEY FOR UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION

As a below named inventor, we hereby declare that:

Our residence, post office address and citizenship are as stated near my name below.

We believe we am the **original, first and joint inventor** of the subject matter of which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

PORTABLE CLEANING ASSEMBLY

which is described and claimed in the specification of which:

X is executed on even date herewith; attorney docket number 68,073-011

_____ was filed on _____ as United States Application Serial No. _____, and was amended on _____; attorney docket number _____.

We declare that this application is:

___ a first filing.

___ a continuation.

X a continuation-in-part.

___ a divisional.

We hereby state that we have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above.

We do not know and do not believe my invention was known or used by others in the United States of America, or patented or described in a printed publication in any country before my invention thereof.

We do not know and do not believe my invention was patented or described in a printed publication in any country or in public use or on sale in the United States of America, more than one year prior to this application.

We acknowledge my duty to disclose information of which I am aware which is material to the examination of this application in accordance with Title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Section 1.56(a).

We hereby claim that no application for patent or inventor's certificate on this invention has been filed in any foreign country or in the United States of America prior to this application by me or my legal representatives or assigns except as follows:

PRIORITY CLAIM

We hereby claim foreign priority benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(a)-(d) of the foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate listed below and have also identified below any foreign application(s) for patent or inventor's certificate filed by me on the same subject matter having a filing date before that of the application(s) of which priority is claimed.

X no such applications have been filed.

___ such applications have been filed as follows:

| COUNTRY | APPLICATION NUMBER | DATE OF FILING (month, day, year) | PRIORITY CLAIMED UNDER 37 USC 119 |
|---------|-----------------------|--------------------------------------|---|
| | | | Yes___ No___ |

We hereby claim priority to and all the benefits under Title 35, United States Code, §119(e) of any United States provisional application(s).

___ no such applications have been filed.

X such applications have been filed as follows:

| <u>APPLICATION NUMBER</u> | <u>DATE OF FILING (month, day, year)</u> |
|-------------------------------|--|
| 60/427,288 | November 18, 2002 |
| 60/452,418 | March 6, 2003 |
| 60/459,380 | March 31, 2003 |